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In re Application of:

Charles Eric HUNTER et al.

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For: MUSIC DISTRIBUTION SYSTEMS

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

AMENDMENT

In reply to the Office Action dated April 3, 2002, please reexamine and reconsider the application in view of the appended amendments and remarks. Prior to entry of this response, claims 1-89 are pending in the application. Claims 1-16, 18-27, 29-59, 61-70, and 72-89 were rejected and claims 17, 28, 60 and 71 were objected to. Please amend the application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please delete the line from the bottom of the abstract.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claims 14, 25-28, 36, 38, 58, 68-71, 79, and 81 amend claims 1, 2, 11, 17, 37, 55, 60, 78, 80, and 84 and add new claims 90-96, as follows:

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